Dresden, May 16. Our Troops pursue their March with all possible Diligence, that they may arrive in the Imperial Army on the *Rhine* by the beginning of *June*. 'Tis said, the *Czarina* has signified to the King of *Prussia*, her Desire, that his *Prussian* Majesty will be pleased to contribute to the Tranquility of *Poland*, and that he would no longer suffer *Stanislaus* to enjoy a Retreat at *Koningsberg*.

BOSTON.

Monday last a Land of 4 Years old, Son of Mr. *Williamson*, Painter, had the Misfortune to fall from *Eliot's* Wharf, at the South End of this Town, and was drowned.

We have Advice from diverse Parts of the Country, That the late great Rains have done abundance of Damage, in overflowing the low Lands, and carrying away the Hay into the Rivers, besides what is spoiled on the Ground, for want of suitable Weather to make it. At *Plimouth*, 'tis said, that the Water was so high in the Streets, that a Boat might have sailed there, and that it ran in such abundance, and with such Violence down a Hill where the first *English* Settlers used to bury their Dead, that it washed up several of their Sculls.

From *Cape Fare* we have a dismal Account of Floods, occasioned by the great Rains they have lately had. 'Tis said, that it rain'd for near a Month together, and that in some Parts of the Country the Water was 30 Foot above the Indian Corn, which it has destroyed: That the Inhabitants were obliged to retire to the uppermost Rooms in their Houses for Safety, and that the poor People are like to be in Distress for want of Corn.

From *Edentown* in *North Carolina*, That several barbarous Murders have lately been committed in or near that Place, *viz* The beginning of *July* last, one *Sherburne*, a Tavern-keeper, having had some Words with *John White* (who was in Liquor) *White* challenged *Sherburne* out to Box him; but *Sherburne* privately clap'd a sharp Back-Sword under his Coat, and when he came to *White*, fell upon him in a most cruel Manner, cut both his Arms almost off, and gave him several terrible Cuts in the Face, and observing some Persons coming to *White's* Assistance, the Monster stab'd him in the Belly, and kill'd him on the Spot. Behold the Effects of Drunkenness and Passion! Another Man was so inhuman as to kill his own Wife. Another so barbarous as to kill a poor old Tinker, who chanced to offend him; and another so unnatural as to whip his own Child to Death. Most of the Malefactors were taken and committed to Prison, and a Guard set about it to prevent their Escape: And for their better Security, 'tis said, the chief Judge kept the Keys of the Prison himself.

From St. *Christophers*, That the Earthquake which happened at *Antigua* the 16th of *July* past, was as sensibly felt there, and it is not doubted but the same extended to the other Islands in the West Indies.

From *Providence*, That on Wednesday last, the 13th Instant, they had very hard Rain, with Thunder and Lightning, as they also had at *Smithfield*, a Town near *Providence*, where one *Thomas Wilkinson* being at Work in a Field, he went into a large hollow Chesnut Tree to shelter himself from the Rain, but had not been there long before the Tree was torn by a Flash of Lightning, which ran down the middle of it, and struck the said *Wilkinson* on his right Shoulder and Back, beating a large Hole through his Cloaths, and ran down his right Side, and turning over to his left Foot, ran into his Shoe, and though it made no Impression upon his Stocking, yet it burnt his Foot in a most terrible Manner in several Places. He lay senseless for some Time, and when he recovered his Senses, the lower Parts of his Body from his Waste were quite Num for a while, and a mighty Pain soon seized his Bones, especially those of his Thighs, so that he could not Sleep a Moment the following Night. His Foot swell'd very much, and blistered, however, he is in a hopeful Way to recover, being attended by a learned and skilful Physician of *Providence*.

From *Newport*, That a Gentleman there has lately received the following Letter from the *Havanna*, dated the 16th of *June* last, *viz*

ABout a Month ago a *Boston* Sloop commanded by *Nathaniel Howland*, was brought in here Prize, taken in the Windward Passage by a Guard le Costa out of *Barracoa*. She had a small Quantity of Red Wood on board, which is pretended was taken on this Island; and they produce a Paper which was signed by the Captain and some of his People to the same Effect, which he says they were forced to sign, not knowing the Contents; but they solemnly declare, that the Wood must be put on board since she was taken, and that the Sloop stop'd no where, but was in her direct Road for *Jamaica*. I can't say how they will come off, but believe it to be a vile Roguery.

P S I believe the Villany of the People of the Guard le Costa is discovered, the Captain and Lieutenant being taken up and kept seperate in the common Goal.

From *Portsmouth* in *New Hamshire*, That on Tuesday last a Boat with 4 Men in it was overset in that River: The Men were happily preserved by the Assistance of other Boats, but the Boat that overset has never been heard of since.

That the Sickness which for some Time past has raged at *Kingston* and other Towns in that Province, is very much abated.

And, That a Vessel is arrived there from *Ireland* with 120 Passengers, many of which are Men of Substance.

From *Philadelphia*, That on the 4th Instant, *Stephen Holmes*, Mariner, accidentally fell from a Wharf in that City, and was drowned.

Two Sloops belonging to these Parts, which some Time since went to *Davis's* Streights on the Whale-Fishery, are returned, and as 'tis said, have made a very good Voyage, one having taken 2 and the other 3 Whales.

And last Thursday Capt. *Sigourney* arrived here from the same Streights in a Brigantine, with one Whale and the Head of another, who reports, That 2 large Ships (one *French* and the other *Dutch*) who had been on the Whaling Account, were lost among the Ice, which is found in prodigious Bodies in those Seas. 'Tis tho't the Head of the Whale brought in by Capt *Sigourney* will make above *Five hundred Pounds*. 'Tis said he was obliged to give the Body to the Company of another Ship, who assisted in saving the Whale after it was struck. It is said also, that the Whales are very plenty in those Parts, but the Weather is so extreme cold, that in the middle of *June* Men are hardly able to endure it, which makes those Voyages not very desirable, however profitable they may be to the Undertakers.

Friday last a Sermon was preached by Mr. Commissary *Price*, in *Trinity Church*, lately erected in this Town, from *Heb.* 10. 23. after which the Gentlemen concern'd in the Building had an elegant Dinner at Mr. *Witherhead's*, where was His Excellency, and a great Number of other Gentlemen.

Wednesday next His Excellency intends to set out on his Journey to the Westward, and will be attended by a great Number of Gentlemen, both of the Town and Country.

Custom-House Boston, *August* 16. Entred inwards, *Young from R. Island, Edwards and Bishop from N. London, Seavy from Bermudas, Trout and Sigourney from Antigua, Gowen from Gibraltar, Gerry from New Castle, Dogget and Pain from N. Carolina, Porter from Montserat, and Field from Lewis Town on Delawair.*

Cleared out, *Smith, Allen and Treat for Connecticut, Clarke for R. Island, Thurston for Surinam, Harris for London, Hatch and Goodspeed for N. Carolina, Soames for Maryland, Eveleth for Barbados, Gorham and Russel for Newfoundland, Peirce for Annapolis Royal, Bennet and Hatton for Philadelphia, Johnson for Virginia, Willdon for Cape May, and Wills for Bristol.*

Outward bound, *Thatcher, Bishop and Gorham for R. Island and Connecticut, Edwards for Connecticut, Surrey and Prince for London, Ellis for Jamaica, Hussey and Kenly for Newfoundland, Tucker for Liverpool, Cornet for N. Carolina, Gill, Ranger, Everard, Gardiner, Viscount and Leate for West Indies, Woodbridge for Europe, and Wyer for Leeward Islands.*

ADVERTISEMENTS.

To be LETT,

A Very convenient Wood Wharf, near the Sign of the Bull, *at the South Part of this Town. Enquire of* Samuel Adams, *Esq*;

CHoice good Vinegar for Pickling, to be sold at the King's Head on the Long Wharf.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Thomas Crawford, *late of* Boston, *Mariner, deceased, are desired forthwith to come and pay the same to Mr.* James Mayes *of* Boston, *Stay Maker, near the Mill Bridge; and all Persons to whom he is indebted, are desired to come and receive their Money.*

TO be sold at publick Vendue by Capt. Daniel Goffe, *at the Sun Tavern, on* Thursday *the 21st Instant, a small Brick House, conveniently situated for Shopkeeping, or other publick Business, now in the Possession of* Lately Gee, *and may be seen any Time before the Sale begins. Also a very handsome compleat Chaise for one Horse, will be exposed to Sale at the same Time, if not sold before, lined with Blue, compleatly furnished, with the best of Brass Work, with good and substantial Harness. Enquire of* Alexander Thorp *near the Common, or of the Printer.*

THese are to give Notice,——That all the Deeds lodg'd in the Register's Office in Boston *are Recorded, and ready to be delivered to the Owners of them, or their Order.——And also to desire that Gentlemen would please to come or send to the said Office, and receive their Original Deeds, (above one Thousand of them remaining there) it being not convenient that Original Deeds should lye longer in the Office than Necessity requires for their being Registered.*

Boston, Aug. 2. 1735. Samuel Gerrish, *Register.*

CHoice good Old sound bodied Syder, to be sold by Mr. Jonathan Williams *in Cornhill,* Boston, *either by small or large Quantities.*

☞ *THe Publisher of this Paper hereby gives Notice, That he intends for the Future to print it every* Monday EVENING, *(having the Approbation and Advice of several Gentlemen in Town, who are his Customers) and will take Care to collect and publish not only the most fresh and authentick Advices from abroad, but also what occurs among our selves or Neighbours, worthy the publick View; and all the Readers in Town may depend upon having it left at their Houses some Time before Dark, (unless upon extraordinary Occasions) which may be a Diversion after the Business of the Day, now the Evenings are grown pretty long.*

N B. *At the Desire of several Gentlemen, it has been tho't advisable to change the Title, as well as the Time of Publishing, and will for the Future come out under the Title of,*

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